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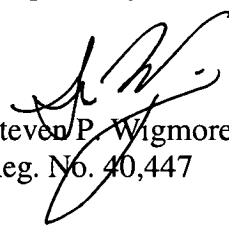
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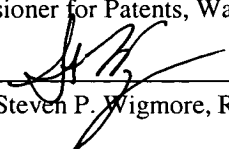
Responsive to the Notice of Allowability mailed October 28, 2002 and requiring the submission of new drawings in the patent application identified above, Applicant encloses herewith 8-sheets of formal drawings.

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